

**AN ORDINANCE BY
COMMITTEE ON COUNCIL**

AN ORDINANCE TO AMEND CHAPTER 154, ARTICLE II (ENTITLED, "WATER AND SEWER BILLING AND COLLECTION PROCEDURES"), SECTION 154-26 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, SO AS TO REVISE SUBSECTION 154-26(d) WHICH CONTAINS MAXIMUM YEARLY TERM REQUIREMENTS OF THE WATER AND SEWER APPEALS BOARD AT VARIANCE WITH PROVISIONS SET OUT AT SECTION 2-1854 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES THAT ESTABLISHES TERMS OF OFFICE FOR BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS; TO WAIVE CONFLICTING ORDINANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, a working group has been assembled by the Chair of the committee on council to review pertinent rules, regulations and legislation affecting the city council and its functions, duties and operation; and

WHEREAS, Chapter 2, Article XVI, Division 1, Section 2-1854 (hereinafter "Section 2-1854") at subsection (b) sets out the number of consecutive terms and number of years members of boards and commissions may serve (based on the length of said terms permitted for each particular board or commission); and

WHEREAS, the provisions related to the operations of the Water and Sewer Appeals Board set out at Section 154-26 are at variance with the requirements of Section 1854 (b).

**THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ATLANTA, GEORGIA, HEREBY ORDAINS
AS FOLLOWS:**

Section 1: Section 154-26 (d), which currently provides as follows:

(d) Members shall be appointed for three-year terms. Any vacancy in the membership shall be filled for the unexpired term in the same manner as the initial appointment. No person shall serve more than eight consecutive years as a member of the board.

Is hereby amended as follows:

(d) Members shall be appointed for three-year terms. Any vacancy in the membership shall be filled for the unexpired term in the same manner as the initial appointment. No person shall serve more than ~~eight~~ **nine** consecutive years as a member of the board.

Section 2: That all existing ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict with this ordinance shall be waived for the purposes of this Ordinance only, and only to the extent of the conflict.